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HOST TCP CONTEXT LOOKUP

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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT ACTION OF AUGUST 17, 2009

Per communications with the Examiner on 24 August 2009, the Examiner agrees that the non-compliant amendment action was sent in error. The 6/30/08 amendment changed line 5 of claim 17 from "the" to "a" and the 7/6/2009 amendment changed it back from "a" to "the". The 7/6/2009 did not repeat the 6/30/2008 as indicated in the non-compliant amendment action.

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No fee is believed to be due for this Response; however, if any fees are due, please apply such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0845 referencing Attorney Docket: INTEL-049PUS.

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